

How is this different than local channels on DirectV? I feel that as a person who pays for a service (XM), they are more apt to give the customer what he or she wants, not a local station. What motivation does the local station have to provide a better service, if I can't get the information elsewhere, I'm stuck. Isn't this America, where the idea of capitalism is encouraged? Maybe we should have federal run radio that only gives one side to an issue, I thought that's what all the veterans that fought and died for this country tried to protect us against!

If you take away the weather and traffic, what's next? Censored channels, no America Right, no America Left, no Fox news, no comedy channel?

Is the NAB trying to establish a monopoly or should I say, retain their monopoly. How many different communications companies are there- I willing to bet that there are only a few --- what are they afraid of? Instead of running to the FCC they should be working on providing a better product that would stop people from joining satellite radio. I guess the money that they spend on lobbying is money better well spent.